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**MAILSTOP PATENT APPLICATION**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title): CHARGING IN COMMUNICATION NETWORKS

By (Inventors): Marco STURA (Espoo, Finland) and Gabor BAJKO (Budapest, Hungary)

- ☒ 23 pages of Specification/Claims 1-24/Abstract are attached.
- ☒ Formal drawings (Figs. 1-3; 3 sheets) are attached.
- ☐ A Declaration and Power of Attorney is attached.
- ☐ An assignment of the invention to \_\_\_\_\_ is attached, along with Form PTO-1595 and a check for \$40.00.
- ☐ An Information Disclosure Statement is attached, along with Form PTO-1449, and \_\_\_\_\_ reference(s).
- ☐ This application is entitled to Small Entity Status.
- ☐ A Preliminary Amendment is attached.
- ☐ Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence --This nonprovisional application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_. --
- ☒ Priority of foreign application No. 0311004.6 filed May 13, 2003 in Great Britain is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

☐ Priority of U.S. Provisional Application(s) No. \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119(e).

☐ A certified copy of the above corresponding foreign application is attached.

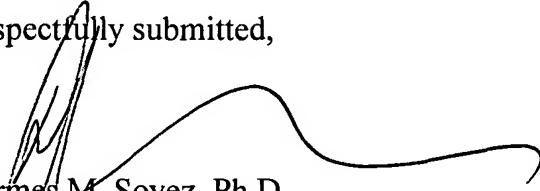
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